

HOUSE BILL 1202
By Chumney

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-33-211, relative to the earmarking of funds for drug court treatment.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-33-211(c)(2), is amended by inserting the following language immediately after the language "criteria for application of the funds":

". Notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary, no less than fifty percent (50%) of monies from such fund shall be made available for treatment of indigent persons who participate in drug court treatment programs, without regard to whether the underlying addiction is alcohol-related"

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.